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MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS

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The New Schedule of fees and the form of Application both for Operators and Registration of Vehicles do not become effective until January 1, 1922.

Continued from Last Week

Sec. 70. Every vehicle carrying objects which project more than five feet from the rear shall, during the period of one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise, carry a red light at or near the rear end of the objects so projecting, and at all other times such vehicle shall carry a danger signal at or near the end of the object so projecting. Trailers having more than two wheels shall be connected to the towing vehicle or preceding trailer by at least one chain, in addition to the trailer—on a hill—if the hitch bar becomes disconnected, or shall be provided with some other adequate holding device.

Sec. 71. Municipal officers may designate places on any way where in their judgment by reason of cliffs, embankments or other exceptional natural conditions, the meeting of motor vehicles and horses or other animals would be attended with unusual danger, by causing the words "Automobiles go slow" to be conspicuously displayed on signs on each approach to such place not less than one hundred and fifty feet distant therefrom. No motor vehicle shall pass any place so designated at a greater speed than ten miles an hour.

Sec. 72. Whoever operates a motor vehicle upon any way recklessly, so that lives or safety of the public are in danger, or upon a bet, wager or race, or for the purpose of making a record, thereby violating the speed regulations, or whoever goes away without stopping and making himself known after causing injury to any person or property, or uses a motor vehicle without authority from its owner, shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or by both fine and imprisonment; and if any person be convicted the second time for a violation of this section, he shall be punished by a fine of one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year.

Sec. 73. If any motor vehicle is so driven in a reckless manner or by a person apparently under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs, it shall be the duty of every officer who is charged with the enforcement of law and of every citizen, to forthwith report the same to the commission, giving the register number of the vehicle, the state registering the same, and the name and residence of the operator or owner, if known. Upon receipt of such complaint the commission shall forthwith investigate the case and may suspend or revoke the license of such operator, or, if a non-resident, his right to operate in this state, and annul the registration of any vehicle so operated, for such time as it shall deem advisable. No person whose license to operate a motor vehicle has been revoked upon conviction of violating sections seventy-two, seventy-three and seventy-four of this act, shall again be licensed or permitted to operate a motor vehicle in this state for three years; provided, however, that after one year if the commission on petition and after hearing shall determine that public safety will not be endangered by issuing a new license or permit, with or without conditions attached thereto, a new license or permit may then be issued. If any person convicted of any violation of the provisions of this act shall appeal from the judgment and sentence of the trial court, his license and right to operate a motor vehicle in this state shall be suspended during the time his appeal is pending in the appellate court, unless the trial court shall otherwise order, or unless the commission, after a hearing, shall restore the license or permit pending decision on the appeal.

Sec. 74. No person shall operate or attempt to operate a motor vehicle when intoxicated or at all under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs. Whoever violates the foregoing provision shall be punished upon conviction by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars or by imprisonment for not less than thirty days nor more than one year, or by both fine and imprisonment. The license of any person convicted of violating the provisions of this section shall be immediately revoked by the commission upon receipt of an attested copy of the court records, without further hearing. Any person convicted of a second or subsequent offense shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than three months nor more than

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Ruth Wheeler is spending a week in Portland.

Miss Mona Martyn of Norway was in town, recently.

Miss Ethel Allen of West Bethel was in town, Monday.

Miss Ernestine Philbrook is spending a week in Portland.

Miss Bernice Haines is assisting Mrs. F. B. Hall with her work.

Miss Alta Smith of Portland is a guest of Miss Florence Springer.

Prof. Edward H. Brown of Norway was in town the first of the week.

Miss Virginia Goodnow is in Rumford, visiting her aunt, Mrs. Clough.

Mr. Everett Greenleaf was a guest of his brother, S. S. Greenleaf, Friday night.

Mrs. Millie Clark left Friday for Sanford, where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abbott of So. Waterford were Sunday guests at F. J. Tyler's.

Mrs. W. B. Twaddle and son, John are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aldana Brooks, at Upton.

Prof. W. R. Chapman and wife were in Norway, Monday, to attend the funeral of Herman L. Horne.

Mr. Linwood Philbrook and daughter, Miss Marion, of Massachusetts are guests of relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Clark and family of Massachusetts are guests of Mrs. Angella and Mr. Irving Clark.

Miss Mary Douglass of Upton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark on her way to Massachusetts.

Masters Melville and Elwin Bergquist of Berlin, N. H., are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Burk.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndall Blanchard of Brookline, Mass., are guests of her parents, Hon. and Mrs. A. E. Herlick.

Mrs. Dellison Conroy and son, Rupert, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmon Jordan at Mechanic Falls for sometime.

Mr. John Swan is now at the home of his sister, Mrs. Geo. Blake, in Malden, Mass., and is as comfortable as can be expected.

Miss Rupertia Clough of Rumford, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jodrey, has returned to her home.

Mrs. T. P. Vail of Portland and sister, Miss Ruth Buck, also Miss Schoonmaker were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck.

Mr. Robert Billings of Dorchester, Mass., accompanied his mother, Mrs. Sarah Billings to Bethel, Monday, and will spend several weeks.

Mr. Warner Kendall, who has been in McCarthy's Hospital at Rumford for the past three months, was a guest of friends in town, Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Greene and two children will leave this week for their home in Livermore Falls and will visit friends in West Paris on their way.

Mr. Dellison Conroy returned from Massachusetts, Friday, accompanied by Mr. George Blake and son, Harry, who visited relatives in town a few days. Mrs. John Swan returning with them.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Z. F. Durkee, Miss Mabel Kelly and Mrs. Clara Brown left Saturday for Christmas Cove to spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Woodrow were guests of relatives over the week end. Mr. Woodrow returned to his work at Colebrook, N. H., Monday, but Mrs. Woodrow will remain in town for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clough of Rumford came to Bethel, Sunday, to visit Mrs. Clough's sister, Mrs. H. S. Jodrey. Their daughter, Rupertia, who has been a guest of her aunt and cousins returning with them as far as Mechanic Falls to visit her aunt, and has now gone to Portland. Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Jodrey's sister, and her son, Henry, of Mechanic Falls were members of the Sunday

NATIONAL CAPITAL

Notes of Interest from Washington

By J. E. Jones

THE DRIVE FOR ECONOMY

General Charles G. Dawes made such an impression upon Washington when he talked of "hell and Maria" before a Congressional committee, that he virtually swore himself into the leadership of one of the biggest attempts in the reform of Government financial methods that has ever been attempted. Having been appointed as Director of the Budget, and with the backing of President Harding, Mr. Dawes gathered all the executive heads in Washington, including the President and members of the Cabinet, into a conference, and after talking to them for an hour they were all enlisted on an equal footing in the effort that is now under way to place the Government upon a basis of economy and efficiency. The budget system simply stands for better business methods in public accounting. This is important enough in itself, but it is the least of the aims which Mr. Dawes seeks to accomplish. He is the leader in the movement which has put the whole Government on its mettle to secure economy in carrying on the public business. Besides this the Dawes enthusiasm has inspired a new desire for more efficiency in Government. No one has accused Dawes of being an expert in psychology, but he has nevertheless introduced psychological elements into his work, and the budget campaign cannot help but be beneficial to the interests of the country.

THE POWER TO MAKE WAR

After a thorough debate on the entire subject of disarmament the House of Representatives in response to the desire of President Harding, who said, "I am vastly more concerned with the questionable attitude of the Congress on this question than I am as to the form of expressing that attitude," has agreed to Senator Borah's suggestion for disarmament. In the beginning the House was inclined to extend the scope of the Senator's suggestion that Great Britain and Japan be requested "to send representatives to a conference which shall be charged with the duty of promptly entering into an understanding or agreement by which the Naval expenditures and building programs of said governments—the United States, Great Britain, and Japan shall be reduced annually during the next five years to such an extent and upon such terms as may be agreed upon."

Senator Borah has apparently been able to convince Congress that there are only three great powers that are able to institute effective warfare. The balance of the governments of the world have broken themselves in the recent world war. The Senator holds that there is nothing to this disarmament proposition that cannot be settled by the three countries that have been named. After months of debate the House of Representatives has agreed to the Senate resolution—and they cheered loudly when they did it.

A CLOT OF RUBBER

The automobile users now count their numbers by millions, and make censuses

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SIX GIVEN THE THIRD DEGREE

Tuesday evening, July 12, marked the second impressive gathering since the organization of Subduer Lodge, No. 22, when the third rank was worked on six candidates by the Hamlin Lodge degree team of South Paris. The floor work and rank conferred was not only picturesque but impressive, the members of the team and in uniform and each member taking his part of the work in a very able and impressive manner. At the close of the meeting the candidates and members were invited to the banquet hall where a beautiful baked bean supper awaited them. Visitors from the lodges of nearby towns were present and all agreed with Subduer Lodge that Hamlin Lodge had a degree team that they might well be proud of.

The local committee responsible for the supper was composed of the following: Wesley Wheeler, D. H. Spearin and Elmer Dean, assisted by Mrs. Wheeler, Miss Wheeler, Mrs. Spearin, Miss Spearin and Mrs. Brink. It was estimated that about 200 were present at the tables, which were well arranged for the occasion.

ABBOTT-GROVER

Married June 29, by Rev. J. H. Little at his residence, Carroll Erwin Abbott and Mary Lydia Grover, both of Bethel. The double ring service was used. The good wishes of many friends go with them for a happy and prosperous life journey.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Little, Pastor
Morning service at 10:45.
The Sunday School will take a vacation until September.
Keep in mind that the Annual Fair will be held July 27.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. C. L. Wheaton, Pastor
Morning worship at 10:45 with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, What do you seek?
Sunday School at noon, A. C. Adams, superintendent.
Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, How are you seeking?
All welcome.
The Ladies' Aid meets at the church, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.
Class meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30, July 19. Meeting of Official Board to consider church business.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. E. T. Achenbach, Pastor
Thursday, July 14, 3 o'clock: Meeting of the Ladies' Club with Miss Hattie Foster.
Sunday, July 17, 10:45: Public worship conducted by Rev. Mr. Palmer of Portland.
12:00: Sunday School.
7:30: Evening meeting with talk by Miss Florence Wheeler of Philadelphia.

WEST BETHEL

"The Cause and Effect of the World War" will be the subject of the discourse next Sunday morning. The service will begin at 10:30 o'clock as usual.
The Sunday school will meet at the close of the preaching service. There are interesting classes for all ages.
The Christian Endeavor service will be held at 7:30 sharp. Topic, "Judging Unkindly." Everybody is invited to be present at any or all of these services.

On Thursday afternoon, July 14, there will be a lawn party at the home of Dorothy and Sylvia Grover, at Maple Lane Farm. All those who are at all interested in the church and Christian Endeavor Society are cordially invited.

EAST BETHEL

The subject of the sermon next Sunday will be one that has been suggested to the speaker: "The Cause and Effect of the World War."
Sunday school will meet at the close of the preaching service. All are cordially invited to both services.

UNION CHURCH, NEWBY

Children's Day program at the Union church, Newby.
Processional, Prayer.
Song, Beautiful Day,
Welcome,
Recitation, Robert Davis
Song, Harold and Carl Eames
God's Gifts, Ray Hanson, Ruth Brink, George Wight
Recitation, Amy Hanson
Song, Alberts Brooks
Talk to children, Emma Children
Hymn, I Think When I Hear That Sweet Story of Old, Choir

A TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF THE LATE HERMAN L. HORNE

From W. B. Chapman, Conductor of the Maine Music Festival

The sudden death of Herman L. Horne of Norway brings sorrow to a host of friends for not only in his own town but all over the State he was known and beloved. Optimistic, cheerful, with a keen sense of humor, an unusual value of originality in expression, a generous kindly nature and above all a Christian in deed and word, Herman L. Horne was a valued citizen and friend. Maine will miss him from her list of helpful public spirited men.

Personally, I feel most keenly his loss, as no one was more helpful to me in the struggling first years of the Festival. He was always enthusiastic, and with his glorious bass voice sang with his heart and soul the great Oratorios he loved so well. For years he and his talented wife maintained the Church in Norway, as they did also the Choir in their Church. Earth is poorer but Heaven richer in "the passing on" of such a soul. We shall miss him sadly here, in the town, at the Church, at the Festival, in every day life, but the memory of his great heart, his loving kindness to all, will be among our choicest treasures. His life work here is finished, but his life's example will remain and stimulate others to better efforts. The sincere sympathy of all who knew him is extended at this time to the bereaved wife, sister, brothers, and immediate relatives.

GRANGE NEWS

BETHEL GRANGE

Bethel Grange met for its regular meeting July 7. The ladies served supper as usual, consisting of salads, hot rolls, white bread and butter, doughnuts, apple pie, mince pie, frosted cake and lemonade. The Master called to order at 8 o'clock. Five candidates were balloted on. One application was read by the secretary. The lecturer presented the following program: Roll call, everyone responding with the word "Home" in it. A ghost march and drill by six ladies. After the drill the members had the privilege of guessing who the ghosts were, dressed in sheets and masks. Much merriment was caused when the masks were removed to find that one of the ghosts was a man. There were visitors from Newry, West Bethel, Andover and South Paris. The degree work was done by Rev. Mr. Little. The next meeting will be July 21.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange held its regular meeting July 2 with Worthy Master Brink in the chair. Voted to hold Bear River Grange fair, Sept. 17, and the following committees were appointed:

Com. on Grounds—H. S. Hastings, R. W. Enman, Clyde Brooks.
Vegetables—L. A. Roberts, S. P. Davis, H. S. Hastings, Martha Bartlett.
Space—Carrie Wight.
Stock—M. A. Holt, Frank Bennett, S. P. Davis, H. M. Kendall.
Drawing of Horses—F. W. Wight, W. G. Emory, Eli Stearns.
Dinner—P. O. Brink and wife, Mrs. R. W. Enman, Ina Bean, Irving French and wife.
Supper—Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis.
Oyster Stew—Mr. and Mrs. John Vail.
Tickets—E. E. Bennett, C. F. Saunders, Eli Stearns.
Dance—C. F. Saunders, L. E. Wight, L. E. Davis.
Ten Pin Game—R. W. Enman, A. L. Lapham, Dan Forbes.
Ball Game—P. O. Brink, Roy Stearns, John Vail.
Ice Cream and Soft Drinks—C. F. Saunders, Arnold Eames, Harold G. Bennett.
Advertising—Gwendolyn Godwin, E. E. Bennett, G. C. Barker.
Confectionery and Cigars—Ernest Holt, Genie Saunders, Ferial Brink.
Tug of War—L. E. Wight, C. F. Saunders, E. E. Bennett.
Fancy Work—Willing Workers.
Everything possible will be done to make the fair a success, and we hope to have a bigger, better fair than ever this Fall.

BETHEL A BUSY PLACE

At one time during the past week there were seventy men employed on Elm street between Main and Railroad streets in construction or repair work on buildings.

Mr. A. Van Den Kerckhoven's new house is being rushed to completion, it being nearly completed on the outside and the inside work is being pushed along rapidly.

Mr. E. C. Vandenberg is giving his buildings a new coat of paint.

The barn on the Domestic Arts Cottage has been removed.

The work on the new gymnasium is going along nicely. The cellar wall is completed and the brick masonry are putting in partitions. The Academy building is also being remodeled inside and out.

Mr. Howard Bailey, who purchased the Martin Stowell place is making extensive repairs and remodeling the house.

Mr. Hugh Thurston is adding a piazza and making other improvements about his house.

The Harris house on Broad street is also undergoing extensive repairs and improvements.

Mr. E. P. Lyon is making extensive repairs on his buildings on Kimball Park.

Mr. Frank King's house on Kimball Park is nearing completion.

Mr. Elden Peterkin is adding a new piazza to his house.

A rent has been finished over the store of the late J. U. Farrington and is occupied by Mr. Herman Bennett and family.

A new set of scales have been installed for public use near the mill of the J. B. Ham Co.

Mr. Charles Lyon is building a new ell to his house on Paradise road.

And last but not least that we know of is the new cement sidewalk on Church street from the corner of High street to the L. W. Hamell Co. store.

Scrubbing paper at the Citizen office for 12 cents per pound.

NOVELTY IN CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

Strickland Gillilan, Sherman Rogers, Arion Entertainers, International Concert Party, Etc., Among Attractions

When Community Chautauqua opens here August 3 you will get your first taste of the new-planned entertainment. That the Community Chautauqua System planned for variety this year, and got it, is shown by a casual glance at the list of talent.

You will note that an extra day has been added to our Chautauqu which increases the program to six days. No charge is made for this addition. When the day falls on Sunday the entire program will be arranged by and in charge of our local Committee. This is but one of the many improvements which Community Chautauquas are introducing as part of their service to towns.

The Syracuse Varsity Male Quartet will introduce this novelty program. These four college boys will sing and play for you the happy college songs which are always so popular. The Varsity is one of the few real quartets on the Chautauqua platform.

The Arion Entertainers are one of the big attractions of the Second day, the other attraction being Sherman Rogers, the "Lumberjack Orator." Here, indeed, is a novelty day. The Arions present a program of songs, music, stories, of cartooning and clay moulding—in fact almost every variety of entertainment. Hear Master Winslow Rouse, the boy soloist of Trinity Church, Boston.

Sherman Rogers is a great speaker and writer on industrial subjects. He is the type of man who says exactly what he thinks and who doesn't waste words in polite phrases. For this reason, he has gained the attention of both capital and labor and has made a great name for himself. You, no doubt, have read some of his articles in the leading newspapers and the magazines of the country.

The Third day brings Brush the Great, a magician extraordinary, with his tricks and illusions, stage settings and novel effects. He will hold your attention and please you as few entertainers can. Both old and young are always delighted with his performances which are as thrilling as they are mystifying. Appearing on this same day are the New Englanders, a trio of young ladies, presenting a program of songs and music both semi-classic and popular.

Of course you have heard of Strickland Gillilan. He is famous from coast to coast as a writer and lecturer on humorous subjects and is regarded as one of the finest Chautauqua attractions in the country. "Just Between Our selves" is worth the price of a season ticket alone, for Mr. Gillilan can make you smile and think as no other humorist can. He will be here on the Fourth day and with him the International Concert Party. The Internationals are a very high-class musical organization, presenting the masterpieces of music. This quartet represents four distinct nationalities.

"Mother Lode" will be with us on the Fifth day with her wonderful inspirational message, "The Divine Rights of the Child." Chautauqua audiences are always glad to welcome this lady orator, for they know she brings to them a lecture of real worth.

On the Last day Chief Tahan and the Princess Nacome Company will entertain. Chief Tahan will tell you a true life story which rivals the most thrilling adventure tale. His experiences in the West among the Indians have given him a fund of information for his delightful talk, which is entitled "Up from Savagery." Princess Nacome and her company will entertain you with Indian stories, songs and music together with many popular American songs, played on the piano, violin, lute and saxophone. The Princess, herself, is a remarkable violinist.

When you consider the entertainment and the variety of each program you will readily see that this year's Chautauqua is a decided advance over any of other years.

There is no time like the present, so buy that season ticket now from your local committee. Help them in their work—help the town and help make your Community Chautauqua a success.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. Albert Eames was overcome by the heat last week and was quite sick. Martin Jackson is working in Bethel. Edward Fisher and family are at their summer home.

J. J. Spencey has a new Ford car. O. P. Littlehale is quite ill.

Louise Wilson is at home for a short time.

Albert Eames and family are camping in Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nowlin are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

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MASON

Mr. Herbert Long of Newry has purchased the D. W. Cushing farm.

E. H. Merrill is doing some shingling. Herbert Long is also doing some shingling on his buildings.

Gay Jack of Bethel was in town on business, Monday.

Mrs. Myron Merrill, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Tyler, of East Bethel, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Eli Grover, who has been visiting relatives in Sumner and Hebron, has returned home.

E. H. Merrill has commenced haying. B. O. Grover and Lillie Baker spent the Fourth at Irving Wilson's at Bethel.

Paul Grover, who has been under the doctor's care with blood poisoning in his arm, is much better.

GROVER HILL

A. J. Peaslee from Newry was in the place, calling on friends, Sunday.

Miss Ida M. Haselton is at home from Skillington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whitman, Clyde Whitman and Harry A. Lyon motored to Norway, Saturday.

Miss R. B. Mayberry has purchased an Overland car.

True Brown is at home from Locke's Mills to cut his hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Evander Whitman and son, Robert, from Norway, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Andrews and son, Richard, of Bethel were recent guests at Albert Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler, Mrs. E. C. Mills and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Hard-

ing, and son, Delmont, from Mason onjoyed the Fourth at Locke's Pond with Ben. S. Tyler and family of East Bethel.

ALBANY

Harry McNally and family of Auburn were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Grover.

Mrs. Nellie Grover returned home with her son, Harry McNally.

Mrs. Cundall and children of Hyde Park, Mass., came to their place here last Saturday.

John Jones and Will Grover each had a nice cow killed by lightning Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Bowen and Mr. Berrie of Livermore were visitors at Abel Andrews' Wednesday.

The Circle, which was held in the vestry, Thursday evening, was entertained by Mary Grover, Edna Bean, Adelaide Bean and Edith, Helen, Ruth and Beatrice Andrews, was well attended, and all enjoyed a bountiful supper, after which the following program was presented:

Recitation, Helen Andrews
Song, Pauline Payne
Reading, Edith Andrews
Song, Mrs. Maud Bean, Mrs. Jones
Recitation, Adelaide Bean
Piano Solo, Velma McKone
Recitation, Mary Grover
Music, Mr. Neal
Recitation, Edna Bean
Piano Solo, Mr. McDonald
Song, Mrs. Bean, Miss Smith

Then followed a merry hour in which the young people played games.

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Uncle Walt's Story

BALMY PEACE

"IN THE SYLVAN solitudes," said the wild man of the woods, "a man doesn't see any magazines and doesn't receive any bulletins from the health authorities, so he enjoys a peace that is never known in the busy haunts."

"There a man simply has to subscribe for a lot of magazines, as a matter of self-defense. Canvassers are after him all the time. Some of the canvassers are lone widows with many children to support, and others are energetic young men who are trying to work their way through the veterinary college."

They are deserving people, and you feel it a duty to help them along, so the first thing you know your mail box is jammed full of literature. Having paid for it, you feel that you ought to read it, and your life is ruined thereby.

"When I was young, the magazines tried to entertain people. They had good stories and a poet's corner, and a department devoted to timely jokes, and another to household hints and domestic recipes. There was some sense in reading a magazine then, for it soothed and sustained you. But nowadays the magazine editors consider it their duty to harrow your soul and make your hair stand on end like quills upon the porcupine, or words to that effect. They are always viewing with alarm, and trying to convince you that you take your life in your hand every five minutes."

"They have a lot of health specialists writing for them, and these health sharps point out that pretty near everything you eat and drink is a deadly poison. They didn't scare me to any great extent, for I am a most intrepid man, but they soon had my wife so rattled she didn't know whether she was going or coming."

"I always was passionately fond of a good cup of coffee, and my wife could make the best coffee you ever heard of. She went to work at it like a learned apothecary compounding a prescription. There was no guess work about it. She took an honest pride in it, and her coffee was a revelation to every consumer. I used to lie awake at night wishing it was breakfast time, so I could have my morning cup of coffee."

"But one morning when I went to the table the coffee was missing. In its place there was a sickly beverage I had never seen before. I asked an explanation, and my wife said that no more coffee would be made in our house. 'The wonder is,' said she, 'that we still live and move and have our being, for coffee is a rank poison. If you read Dr. Zinkfoogle's article in the Junkopolitan Magazine, you will see that coffee contains a large percentage of tannin, which is so deadly that if you place a drop on the tongue of an alligator, it will roll over dead.'"

"I told her that I had no alligators on the premises, and consequently could not try the experiment, but I assured her that I didn't care anything about the poison. I wanted my coffee at regular hours. She said I'd have to keep on wanting. She thought too much of me to send me to an untimely grave. And, anyhow, she explained Dr. Zinkfoogle had told how to make a substitute for coffee that was perfectly wholesome. She had followed his instructions, and the result was before me. Perhaps it didn't taste as good as coffee, but it was wholesome. It would fill my veins with red corpuscles and restore hair to my bald head. It was made of marrowfat peas which had been carefully roasted in a hot oven."

"In order to get a cup of coffee after that, I had to make a snack to the chop-house, and the kind dished up there made me old before my time. My wife cut out all my favorite dishes because Dr. Zinkfoogle or some other magazine writer denounced them, and finally I was living on roasted peas and coffee and boiled spinach, and I concluded that if I had to feed like the cows I'd live like them, so I came to the forest fastnesses."

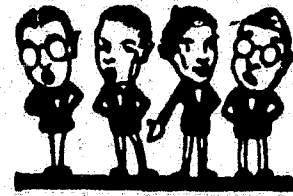
"Marriage Breaker" Busy.
One of the deplorable results of bolshevik misrule in Russia is the installing of a "breaker of marriages" in Petrograd, who is said to be granting more than 500 divorces a week. No investigation is necessary, the only requirement being the signature of the person desiring freedom from marriage.

A Helpful Hint.
"A-pp-e-t-i-t-e" growled a hypercritical customer in the rapid fire restaurant. "This confounded piece of meat is so tough I can hardly eat it!"

"Get it down on the floor where you can put your foot on it when you gnaw it," briskly returned Hissler, the waiter. —Kansas City Star.

The Difference.
"A good housewife is very different from a good husbandman."
"How so?"
"She is always sewing tears."

A Few of the Big Attractions at This Year's Community Chautauqua



Syracuse Varsity Quartet—First Day

College songs sung in the college way—life—dash—jollity. Everybody likes a male quartet, and here is one that is rated among the best.



Arion Entertainers—Second Day

An entertainment crowded with novelty—violin, piano, cartoons, clay modeling, "The Animated Doll," character readings. Hear Winslow Rouse, great boy soloist of Trinity Church, Boston.



New Englanders—Third Day

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MIDDLE INTERVAL ROAD

Mrs. O. R. Stanley is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter in Portland.

Mrs. Mary J. Capen is visiting at her old home.

Miss Frances Carter and Mrs. John Carter were in Portland, Monday.

There was a family reunion at O. R. Stanley's, Sunday of last week, Ted

Stanley and family of Berlin and Mr. and Mrs. Merton Soule of Portland being there.

Miss Emma Parker of Auburn is spending a few weeks at Carey Stevens'.

Miss Mollie Stanley visited at Locke's Mills one day last week.

Mrs. Leslie Blake, is expected Thursday of this week to spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William

Gunther.

Mrs. Hepsibah Mason from Gorham is visiting her son, Herman Mason.

Mrs. Harry Brooks and little daughter is visiting at her brother's.

Miss Minnie Capen spent Sunday at her sister's at Middle Intervale.

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Opening day we give envelopes to every customer. Some have Gold Coins in them. Get yours from clerk.

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25c Value
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Soft Collar Shirts, 59c
1.00 Khaki Shirts, 79c
5.00 Flannel Shirts, 3.79
Dress Shirts, 98c
2.00 Dress Shirts, 1.35
5.00 Silk Shirts, 3.98

B. V. D. Unions, 1.29
One Button Unions, 98c
35c Garters, 25c
1.50 Caps, 79c
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All colors, shapes and sizes of the best materials which fit and wear. The attractiveness of a well fitting cap is very apparent in this lot.

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2.00 value, 1.39
5.00 value, 3.98
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All the best makes, new webbings of fine patterns. Including President make.

75c value, 49c
50c value, 35c
35c value, 25c

Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Service is keynote in make of these suits, fit guaranteed, quality too.

SUITS

10.00 value, 7.50
13.00 value, 8.50
6.50 value, 4.00

OVERCOATS

12.00 value, 6.00
9.00 to 13.50 Mackinaws, wool and part wool, fine patterns, 7.50
10.00 value, to close, 5.00

SOUTH PARIS

O. A. Jamieson of Portland was in town, Friday.

Ernest F. Shaw has been appointed constable for the town of Paris.

Charles W. Burgess and family are spending two weeks in camp above West Bethel.

Robert Brackett is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Doan E. Wheeler in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wood have gone to Kingsfield where they will spend the summer with his parents.

Mrs. Ronello Edwards was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Russell at Noble's Corner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hager and children of Milan, N. H., were in town last week.

Mrs. William Phelps of Portland was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fogg and Mrs. Alice Thayer last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Edwards are spending their vacation in Otisfield at Rocky Camp, Pleasant Pond.

Mrs. Cora Pratt of Solon was a recent guest of Mrs. Eugene H. Stevens and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Stevens of Baltimore, Md., are guests of her mother, Mrs. G. H. Davis.

Ernest J. Record is making extensive repairs and improvements at his house on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Newell and two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Rowe one day last week. They were on their way to their home in Londale, R. I., from the White Mountains.

George D. Robertson and daughter, Miriam, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. French at Peaks Island.

Mrs. Mabel Haggerty and son of Salem, Mass., have been recent guests of her father, Whitfield Stuart, and other relatives in town.

Mrs. Dorothea Underwood of Auburn, N. Y., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton C. Wheeler and daughter, Miriam, were in Portland several days last week.

Miss Ethel C. Crockett, who has been teaching English in the high school in Bridgewater, Mass., is at home for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Nicholson and children were guests at J. E. March's last week.

Rev. Edward H. Morris arrived in town from England last week. The regular preaching services began Sunday.

Ernest Paine and family spent several days in camp at Albany last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKeeney of Kingsfield were recent visitors in town.

Mrs. Anna Bemis, who has been visiting in town, has returned to her home at Kent's Hill.

The Optimistic Class will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George B. Morton.

Miss Lena L. Franck of Round Pond was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fletcher several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George French and son of Kingsfield were last week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Butts.

Miss Elsie A. FAVOR, who is employed in the Oxford Democrat office, is spending part of her vacation in Portland.

Prof. F. H. Sanborn, a former principal of Paris High School, has recently been elected principal of Erskine Academy in South China.

The long drought was broken Saturday night by a shower.

Prof. Leon Thompson of the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, Boston, Mass., with his wife and two children, were guests at E. S. Dudley's a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Meriam and daughter from South Acton are visiting relatives in town.

NORTH WATERFORD

Frank Hatch is working for Ira Heald at Lovell, haying.

Grover Randall and Harry Morey of Bethel took breakfast, Sunday morning at Annie Hazelton's.

Mrs. Will Moulton has been visited by her sister, Mrs. Emma Knox, and daughter, Elsie, from Forest Hill, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen McAllister and children from Turner have been guests of their sisters, Mrs. Eugene Lovejoy and Mrs. Will Card. Mr. and Mrs. Lowey Cox of Norway were also guests there.

Sunday, Lowey Cox and Leon Lovejoy killed a water snake measuring about 4 feet by the river back of Mr. Dresser's residence.

A heavy thunder shower passed over this place, Saturday afternoon, doing some damage to telephones, and the rain washed the roads very badly.

Kenneth Stearns of Albany has been visiting his cousin, Mrs. Ernest Grover.

Edith Littlefield, daughter of Jesse Littlefield, we think is the youngest swimmer we have here. Friday night she with a party went to Papoose Pond where her first lesson was given and before she left she could swim quite a little distance.

A baby boy came to join the family of Wallace Jones, July 10.

Mrs. Minnie Saunders is at Norway Lake, working for Mrs. Will Bennett.

Charlie Stearns of Stoneham and Fred Hazelton are building a bay window on Annie Hazelton's house.

Mrs. Nora Abbott is at Norway, where she intends to visit with relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farrington and baby Norma from Berlin, N. H., were guests at Wm. Fiske's a few days last week.

Mr. Tankard of Berlin and Mr. A. M. Carter of Bethel were also dinner guests one day last week.

Vernon Mills is working at Wm. Fiske's through haying.

EAST BETHEL

Mr. Otho Reed has gone to Portland, where he has work.

Mr. Julian Wehs has returned home to New York.

Misses Hilda and Francis Reed are guests of relatives at Dixfield.

Mr. George Blake, Mr. Harry Blake of Malden, Mass., and Mrs. Geo. Swan of Dixfield have been entertained the past week by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Blake.

Mr. Victor Rowe and grandson, Mr. Hurbank Keene, of Massachusetts were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Farwell and family. Mr. Keene remained to spend the summer on the farm.

Mr. Maurice Noyes, contractor, from South Paris has workmen reshingling the barn of Dr. B. R. Tibbitts at his farm here.

Mrs. Etta Bartlett has gone to Berlin, N. H., for several weeks, the guest of Mrs. F. D. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeborn Bean and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett and family, Miss Edna Bartlett and Mr. Urban Bartlett passed the week end and Fourth of July in camp "Outside Inn," Locke's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hastings, Robert and William Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan, Mr. Russell Swan, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell, Judge G. F. Rich and Mrs. B. E. Rich of Berlin, N. H., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bean and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bartlett motored to South Paris and Norway for the Fourth of July celebration. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Trask motored to Andover and enjoyed the celebration there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howe, Miss Agnes and Master Rodney enjoyed Fourth of July with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kimball, at Bethel.

Mrs. Octavia Bean, Mrs. Etta Bartlett, Mrs. Guy Bartlett, Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and Miss Edna Bartlett recently attended a Pythian Sisterhood at Rumford. A six o'clock banquet was served. Mishemowikwa Temple of Hanover conferred the degree.

WEST PERU AND DICKVALE DEFERRED

Augustus Tracy of Stoughton, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

Several of the people spent the Fourth at the celebration at Dixfield, while others remained in the shade at home.

Maurice Tracy and cousin, Augustus,

were guests over night of their aunt, Mrs. Deborah Farnum, in Woodstock.

Mrs. Oscar Putnam and Mrs. David Cheney visited Mrs. Putnam's mother, Mrs. Almed Richardson, at West Paris, recently.

R. S. Tracy was in Rumford last Wednesday.

Stanley Hammond is helping E. W. J. Tracy.

Sturtevant with his farm work.

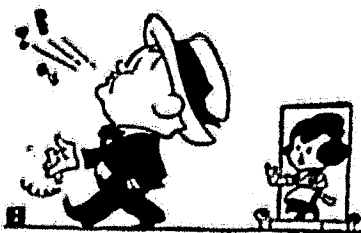
Fred Lovejoy is working for B. J. Roberts.

Miss Ruby Chase called on Mrs. H. E. Rafuse, recently.

Jim Saunders brother from New Hampshire is visiting him.

Mr. W. B. Gillespie is haying for C. Stanley Hammond.

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HER NICE new husband,
STEPPED OUT of the house.
WHISTLING LIKE a bird.
WHICH ALARMED young wife.
ESPECIALLY WHEN,
SHE FOUND she'd picked
THE WRONG package.
AND INSTEAD of oatmeal,
HAD GIVEN him birdseed.
BUT DON'T think from this,
THAT EVERY guy,
YOU HEAR whistling,
HAS NECESSARILY,
BEEN ROBBING the canary.
OTHER THINGS inspire.
THE ALMOST human male,
TO BLOW through his lips.
AND MAKE shrill noises,
A RAISE, for example,
OR A day, or when.
A DOUBLE header is on.

OR AN everyday thing.
LIKE A good drag,
ON ONE of those smoked,
THAT SATISFY.
WHICH CERTAINLY are,
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SO LADIES, if hubby,
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Among them are splendid looking dresses in small check and attractive plaids, such a variety of styles and color effects. Style features include organdie collar and cuff, over panels, large wide sashes.

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Striking new colorings in pretty pleated Sport models with novelty belt and pockets. Here are some of the materials, Dew Kist, Faille, Black Satin, Baronette Satin, Canton Crepe, Sport Tussah and White and Blazer-Stripes.

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NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. Claude Morton spent the Fourth with her sister, Mrs. L. E. Wight. They motored to Errol Sunday, July 3.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. and P. W. Wight and family, L. E. Wight and family, Carrie Wight, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vail and several others from this place attended the celebration at Dixfield the Fourth.

Mrs. L. E. Davis and children are staying at Locke's Mills with her mother, who is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wight of Hanover were callers at W. B. Wight's, Sunday. Guests appointed as follows for the

Mr. Wight has purchased a new Ford touring car.

Miss Marguerite Lane is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. P. W. Wight.

Mrs. Ella Brown is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Chapman. Mrs. Nellie Wheeler is also a visitor.

P. W. Learned and family of Rumford and Alton Brooks and child of Andover, Me., are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brooks.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. R. P. Davis, Wednesday P. M., and commended the work of the committee.

SALE THIS FALL

Fancy Work—Emily Roberts.
Apron Table—Selma McPherson.
To Sell Quilts—Gwendolin Godwin, Ruth Kendall, Lena Bartlett, Minnie Bennett.

Sawdust Pie, Silk Quilt—Mrs. Worcester, Doris Worcester, Elsie Vail, Cora Davis.

Fish Pond—Shirley Brooks, Elsie Enman.

Fancy Work Exhibit—Addie Saunders.

The Circle will meet at the hall Wednesday P. M., July 20, with a supper from six to eight. The work committee would like to have the sisters bring all the work they have completed.

RUMFORD POINT

Wilma Walker returned from McCarthy's Hospital, July 9, where she was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago. She is recovering nicely.

H. P. Holt and family of Dixfield were in town, Thursday.

Mrs. Totten has returned from a visit in Dixfield.

The Bakers motored to Norway, Saturday.

Miss Clara Jackson of Milton was a caller here Thursday.

Mrs. Dolly Elliott of Andover is working for John and George Elliott.

Allice Hopkins had an outing at Upper Dam last week.

Fred James went to South Arm fishing, Saturday.

People were saddened to hear of the sudden death of Herman L. Horn of Norway.

NOTICE—The Citizen office will close Saturday afternoons during the summer months.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Mildred Ray is a guest of Miss Kathryn Ramsell.

Mr. W. J. Mackay was in Portland the last of the week.

Mr. Philip Chapman was a business visitor in Boston, recently.

Mr. Percy Mackay of Portland is the guest of his brother, Mr. W. J. Mackay.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Curtis dined at Bethel Inn, Sunday, the guests of Mr. Viall.

Mrs. Ralph Perkins of South Paris is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Bartlett.

Tuesday afternoon the W. O. T. U. held an interesting meeting with Miss Annie Croes.

Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Wight and daughter, Vivian, were at Old Orchard the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ring at West Paris.

Mr. John Wheeler entertained his daughter and granddaughter from Canada over the Fourth.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns on the birth of a daughter.

Master Edward O'Day is spending a week in Portland the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hutchinson.

Mr. Fritz Goddard and sons, Gard and Robert, accompanied Mr. Goddard's two grandsons to Plymouth, N. H., Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. T. Achenbach have as a guest, Mr. E. C. Kinney of Greensboro, Vt., a former parishioner during Mr. Achenbach's pastorate there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman and niece of Massachusetts are occupying Miss Angie Chapman's house. Mr. Lyman is superintendent of the work on the Academy grounds.

Mrs. O. H. Brann and children of Augusta are guests at the Twaddle home for several weeks. Miss Eugenia Howell is assisting Mrs. Brann in caring for the children.

Mr. Viall, having regained his health under Dr. Gehring's treatment, has gone to Providence, R. I., for a brief visit with his parents, then on to St. Paul, Minn., to join his wife and baby son.

Bethel was visited by a severe electrical storm last Friday night, but no damage was reported. The rain was a welcome visitor to the crops which were badly in need of being wet down.

The Misses Henrietta Frantz, Sue Kern, Hattie Kesler and Alice Krauss of Nazareth, Pa., who are touring New England by auto, are visiting Miss Frantz's sister, Mrs. S. T. Achenbach.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Upton returned from Portland, Monday, where they spent several days as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Gehring at their cottage. Miss Bertha Chapman returned to Bethel with them as their guest.

Major Tremblay of Lewiston will be in town Friday evening for the purpose of mustering in men enlisted in the Battalion Headquarters Company, National Guard. All men enlisted must be present. Meeting will be held in the Legion rooms at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. L. Meehan and daughter, Ruth, also Mrs. Meehan's mother, Mrs. Nahum Moore, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nahum Moore before going to Orr's Island, where they will spend several weeks, after which they will return to Bethel.

SONGO FOND

Mr. Thomas Minter and daughter, Anna, of New York City are spending a few weeks at Songo Lake Cottage, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abner B. Kimball.

Mr. J. B. Rich of New York opened up his cottage, The Root, last Thursday for the summer months.

Haven Herbert Baker, George Freeman Gordon, retail traveling fish dealers of Kennebunk, Me., camped over night on the shore of Songo Pond last Friday night on their way to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard and Mrs. Littlefield of Bethel and Mrs. Abner Kimball of Albany motored to Rumford, Monday, to do some shopping.

Abner Kimball has purchased the hay on the Shirley Hasleton farm.

Arthur Cheatham of Rhode Island is stopping for awhile at A. B. Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marston and daughter, Florence, of Auburn were Sunday guests of Mrs. Little Harriman.

Mr. Gardiner Gorman, after spending three weeks at Songo Lake Cottage, has returned to his home in Berlin, N. H.

Misses Jennie Kimball and Anna Minter and George Moray attended the dance at North Waterford, Saturday night.

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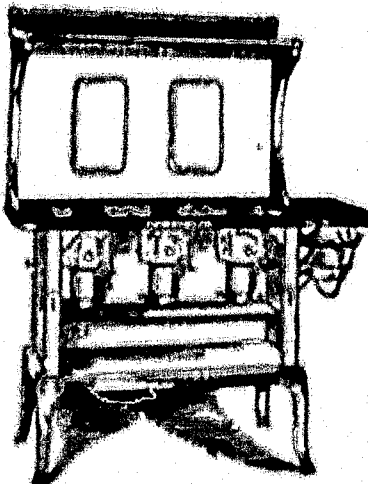
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Miss Mary Haggard been a recent guest of Oliver Pettengill at Franklin street.

Stephen Beaker, accepted a position as with the American T in New York City, to take up his work.

Superintendent of Williams and family Mrs. Leon G. Paine Mrs. Briary, to the Pond, Patten, Maine, the camp on July 18th the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. burn have been received and Mrs. Arthur H. road.

Mrs. J. H. Hassett Vt., formerly of this a month or so in to relatives.

Dr. Mary F. Falk compe.

Tom Voter has been the mail route for who has been out of

Mrs. Lena Steinfeld and Mrs. Yetta Steinfeld been recent guests of of Franklin street and

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fred and Martha Mixer Mrs. Alice Mixer of Carl, of Massachusetts visiting at the home

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. street.

Rev. George Hunt, n nabas church, who was a three months leave of

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Miss Mary Haggerty of Winthrop has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Pettengill at their home on Franklin street.

Stephen Beaker, U. of M., 1921, has accepted a position as chemical engineer with the American Tel. & Tel. Company in New York City, and left last week to take up his work.

Superintendent of Schools L. E. Williams and family will accompany Mrs. Leon G. Paine and her mother, Mrs. Briary, to their camp at Shinn Pond, Patten, Maine, to help them open the camp on July 18th and prepare for the rest of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bradford of Auburn have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hinds of Lochness road.

Mrs. J. H. Hassett of Bellows Falls, Vt., formerly of this town, is spending a month or so in town, the guest of relatives.

Dr. Mary F. Falk has a new Ford coupe.

Tom Votter has been substituting on the mail route for Howard Webber, who has been out of town.

Mrs. Leta Steinfeld of Berlin, N. H., and Mrs. Yetta Steinfeld of Boston have been recent guests of Mrs. Harry Marx of Franklin street and Mrs. Benjamin Schwind of Knox street.

Norton Mixer of Livermore Falls, Alfred and Martha Mixer of Boston, and Mrs. Alice Mixer Bouillard and son, Carl, of Massachusetts have all been visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mixer, of Knox street.

Rev. George Hunt, rector of St. Barnabas church, who was given this spring a three months leave of absence on account of ill health, will soon return to Rumford, and resume his work.

Mrs. Della Turcott is assisting Dr. Sturtevant at his home in Dixfield. Miss Theresa Locke has returned from Waterville, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. George Marshall and family of Knox street are guests of her sister, Mrs. Frank Gordon, of Front street in the Virginia District.

Mrs. A. Adey of Chocoma avenue has taken the rent just vacated by Harry Eastman.

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Franklin Cornell, Tracy White and Reginald Clough have been at Rev. Allen Brown's camp at Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H.

Mrs. Raymond Houston and children of Franklin street are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Charles Hinton and children are visiting relatives in Portland.

Walter Pillsbury is spending some weeks with Rev. Allen Brown at his camp on Spectacle Island, Lake Winnepesaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl White have returned from California, where they have

been spending the winter.

Miss Bertha Pease of Wilton is a guest of her aunt and uncle, Judge and Mrs. Stevenson, of Knox street.

Mrs. L. W. Gillespie of Jay, who came last week to be a guest for a few days of Mrs. Orrington Berry of Main avenue, fell on the rocks in Chisholm Park near the river bank and cut a gash in her knee, laying the knee cap bare.

She was taken to McCarty Hospital for treatment, and has since been confined to the home of Mrs. Berry. At the fifth annual visit of the Sunshine Society of Wilton to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berry, they presented them with a fine electric lamp in honor of the 25th anniversary of their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McGinnis are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a 9 3-4 pound son. The child was born in Bangor, where Mrs. McGinnis has been for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Falarde and children of Berlin, N. H., have been visiting their father, Mr. Thomas Falarde, of Pine street.

Miss Muriel White has entered the McCarty Hospital to train for a nurse. Miss Marion Hubbard has also entered this institution for a course in training for a nurse.

Roger Eastman and wife have moved to the farm owned by Mr. Eastman's father in Backfield.

Philip Gauthier is at home from Philadelphia, where he is attending a dental college.

Miss Beatrice Given is taking Miss Ella Ames' place in the registry department of the Post Office during her absence at Biddeford Pool on a two weeks vacation. Mr. Sherwood is taking Miss Given's place as clerk.

Mr. Harry Hall of York street and son, Jodie, are out of town enjoying a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clunie and son, Robert, Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carroll of Franklin street. Mr. Clunie is principal of Lincoln Academy at Newcastle.

Mrs. William Hammanne, formerly Miss Yvonne Deroy, has become the mother of a ten pound son. Both mother and son are doing well.

William Carroll of Denver, Col., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carroll of this town, is expected home the second week in August.

Miss Josephine Lipp of Chelsea, Mass., and Mr. Charles Lovin, a merchant of this town, were married last week at Fraternity Hall, Chelsea, the wedding being performed by Rabbi David M. Shohet of the Fowler street Synagogue, and a cousin of the groom. The best man was Dr. Harmon Shohet of Roxbury, and the maid of honor Miss Addie Lipp, a sister of the bride. The bride was given in a gorgeous white cotton crepe, elaborately decorated with crystal beads. She wore a real lace veil, and orange blossoms, and her bouquet was a shower of roses and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Lovin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lipp of Boston, is

a graduate of the Chelsea High School and Boston University, and until recently was a private secretary in the Ordnance Department. Mr. Lovin is a dry goods merchant of Rumford. After a wedding trip to New York, Atlantic, and to Canada, they will make their home at Old Orchard for the summer, coming to Rumford in the fall.

For the past few weeks a crew of men to the number of sixty have been at work in Chisholm Park, getting it into proper condition, cleaning away the big rocks, cutting the grass, trimming the trees, and arranging the seats. A rustic bridge of about 25 feet in length and 10 feet wide has been built. The park is to be thoroughly lighted, a new bandstand will be erected, and tennis courts, play grounds and numerous other features of interest and amusement are to be instituted.

The Oxford mill now has three machines running, but the International mill has as yet come to no agreement.

Three hundred and fifty-six tax payers, of which 314 are resident, and 42 non-resident, pay the town of Rumford and the Village Corporation a total tax of \$100 or more. The Oxford Paper Company is the largest tax payer, it being assessed to the amount of \$49,679.09, while the largest tax paid by an individual is \$2,061.47, that being paid by Hon. Waldo Pettengill. It is interesting to note from the records at the office of Tax Collector William Cyr, that all 1918, 1919 and practically all of the 1920 taxes are collected in full.

The only balance left at the present time is a small amount due from 1920, and this amount is fast being paid up, and will be settled in full within a short time.

Merle Niles, who has been at the Bangor Hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis, has returned home, and is quite comfortable. Mr. Niles, who is a student at the University of Maine 1923, was obliged to leave school for the hospital before the close of the semester.

Mr. Albion Drake of Portland, Oregon, is visiting his niece, Mrs. Robert Given. Mr. Drake is 84 years of age, and is a most remarkable old gentleman, making the trip across the continent all alone.

Mrs. Claude Gilpatrick and little son have gone to Milton, Vermont, to visit Mr. Gilpatrick. Mr. Gilpatrick has a position as agent of the International Paper Company there. He expects to move his family there in the fall.

Miss Barilla McKenzie of the C. H. McKenzie Company's store, is this summer in Phillips in the Company's store there. She comes one day in each week to Rumford to look out for the stock and buying. Miss McKenzie makes these trips by automobile.

Master James Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morse of Franklin street, has recovered from scarlet fever. The quarantine has been taken off the house, the house has been fumigated thoroughly, and now the whole interior of the house is to be papered and painted.

Mr. and Mrs. Reldar Christiansen will sail from Bergen on July 9 for America, and after arriving in this country, and fitting up their home in Worcester, they will come to Rumford, where they will break up their home here, and with Mrs. Christiansen's mother, Mrs. Emma Smith, will return to Worcester, Mass., to take up their residence.

Guy Hoamer and Howard E. Beedy have been on a business trip to Quebec, going by automobile.

Miss Edith Josselyn has been visiting relatives in Livermore Falls.

Miss Laura Meehan has accepted a position in the local telephone office. Miss Meehan is now on a vacation with Miss Jennie Norman of the E. K. Day Company, and they are enjoying themselves at the Isle of Shoals.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Pettengill are soon to leave for a trip abroad. Mr. Pettengill is going principally to attend a Methodist Conference in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sweetser are enjoying a two weeks' vacation in and about Portland. Mrs. Sweetser is an employee in the auditing department of the local telephone company.

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land, but they will travel to some extent. They expect to go about the first of August, and remain away about two months.

Mrs. Ina Parlin Garland has been engaged to teach the fall term of school at West Peru. She is to attend the summer school at the Castine Normal School.

Mrs. Lela Dickey, formerly a school teacher in Rumford, but afterward moving to Portland, was married on July 10 to James White of Lewiston. Mrs. Dickey is one of the most successful business women of the State. She has worked herself to the top in the insurance business, being one of a few to be given a free trip to the Pacific Coast last year. They will make their home in Portland.

Miss Grace Grondin, the milliner, who for the past two years has been at Hotel Rumford, has taken apartments in the Bellevue apartments on Hancock street.

Mrs. George D. Bisbee, who recently sold her home on Franklin street to Mr. Harry S. Coke, is to make her future home with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Josselyn, of Mountain View Park, Cape Elizabeth.

Friends of Miss Evelyn Melcher, daughter of Mr. Richmond L. Melcher of Pine street, hear that she is most happy in Madrid, Spain, where she is studying Spanish, preparatory to teaching it on her return to this country.

Miss Kate McNeil is in Lewiston at the Bates Summer School. She is boarding at the Y. W. C. A. there.

Mrs. Thomas Hanley of Berlin, N. H., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Duntun, of Franklin street. Miss Canot, a friend of Mrs. Hanley's from Berlin has also been a guest at the Duntun home.

Miss Marjorie Hawley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hawley of Prospect avenue, is at the McCarty Hospital, where she has undergone an operation for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Ishmael McKenzie of Sanford, class of 1922, U. of M., has been sent to Rumford by the State Forestry Department, to locate a site for a fire tower to be erected on a mountain in or near Rumford. Mr. McKenzie will climb Mt. Zircon, Mt. Blue and other elevations for the advisability of erecting a fire tower.

On Saturday morning early occurred the death of Joseph Simpson of Franklin street, death due to diabetes, along with other troubles. Mr. Simpson was one of the first business men of Rumford, coming here from Rumford Center, where he had a farm. He was a stone mason and contractor, and has built many homes in Rumford. He built a brick residence on Franklin street when he first came here, where he has lived for the past twenty-five years. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Cushman of Portsmouth, N. H., who with her young son has arrived in town. He was a member of Blazing Star Lodge, No. 30. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from his late residence.

Mrs. John Longley is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Eunice Putnam, and of her brother, Mr. Arthur Putnam, and family.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named.

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1921, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Tom F. Hastings late of Bethel, deceased; final account presented for allowance by William W. Hastings, administrator.

Hanson M. Hodgman late of Andover, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ella J. H. Henshaw as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said will presented by said Ella J. Henshaw, the executrix therein named.

Oscar W. Cutting late of Andover, deceased; petition for order to distribute balance remaining in her hands presented by Nellie A. Douglas, administratrix.

Tom F. Hastings late of Bethel, deceased; petition for determination of inheritance tax presented by William W. Hastings, administrator.

Fidelius F. Stearns late of Bethel, deceased; petition for determination of inheritance tax presented by Edward A. Billings, executor.

Alonso D. Adams late of Bethel, deceased; petition that R. B. Thurston or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased presented by Guy E. Jack, a creditor.

Witness, ABELAS E. STEARNS Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.
6-30-21

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Ann G. Smith late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ADA M. SMITH, Bethel, Maine;
June 21st, 1921 6-30-21

vacation. Messier, a former Thornton Academy base ball man, is now playing for the Rumford Merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whoolley are enjoying a week's vacation at Roxbury. Harry Murray has secured a good position in Canada, and has left town to take up his new work.

WEST GREENWOOD
Mrs. Nellie Cross and daughter, Annie, Will Seames and Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins motored to Sebattus, Thursday, to visit Mrs. Fannie Burnell.

E. E. Andrews was in this vicinity, Wednesday.

Mrs. Chase recently visited at Berlin and Gorham.

John Gill has two men from Lewiston, cutting wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Flinders and daughter, Dorothy, visited her parents, Sunday.

Phyllis Campbell returned home, Friday.

Herbert Berryment was at Mrs. Nellie Cross', Thursday.

May Norton worked at Maxim's berry farm one day last week.

Among the recent out of town callers were Frank Flint, Chester Cummings, Roy Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Machin, Laura Cummings, Maud Cummings and James Spinner.

Thomas Kennagh, Jr., is working out of town.

J. F. Harrington has men employed, cutting wood.

Annie Cross has been hired to super-

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

BETHEL LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 97, meets in Masonic Hall, Thursday evening, on or before full moon. E. P. Lyon, W. M.; Fred B. Merrill, Secretary.

PURITY CHAPTER, No. 102, O. E. S., meets in Masonic Hall the first Wednesday evening of each month. Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerkhoven, W. M.; Mrs. Pearl Tibbets, Secretary.

MT. ABRAHAM LODGE, No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Friday evening. Chester A. Cummings, N. G.; O. C. Bryant, Secretary.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE, No. 64, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Monday evenings of each month. Constance Wheeler, N. G.; Anna French, Secretary.

SUDBURY LODGE, K. of P., No. 22, meets in Odd Fellows Hall each Tuesday evening. Wesley Wheeler, O. C.; John Harrington, K. of R. and S.

BROWN POST, No. 84, G. A. B., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. A. H. Hutchinson, Commander; I. O. Jordan, Adjutant; L. N. Bartlett, Q. M.

BROWN W. B. C., No. 30, meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursday evening of each month. Emily Forbes, Pres.; Eva Hastings, Secretary.

GEORGE A. MUNDT POST, No. 81, AMERICAN LEGION, meets the first Tuesday of each month in its rooms. R. B. Tibbets, Commander; Howard Tyler, Adjutant.

BETHEL GRANGE, No. 56, meets in their hall the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. A. F. Copeland, M.; Eva Hastings, Secretary.

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MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS

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one year and his license to operate shall be revoked by the commission. A copy of sections seventy-two, seventy-three and seventy-four shall be printed on every operator's license.

Sec. 75. Any motor vehicle, except a truck, tractor or trailer, used for commercial purposes as specified in section thirty-four, owned by a non-resident of this state who has complied with the laws of the state of his residence relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles, and who has a bona fide actual residence in a state granting like privileges to residents of this state, which residence is located within fifteen miles by highway of the border line of this state, may be operated upon any highways of this state distant not more than fifteen miles from said border line, if such motor vehicle is duly registered in the state of its owner's residence and the fee required therefor is paid and such motor vehicle is duly registered by the secretary. The secretary shall furnish, upon payment of two dollars, to every person whose motor vehicle is registered as aforesaid, a metal tag of such design and shape as the secretary may prescribe, having displayed upon it the number assigned to such motor vehicle, the letters "Me." and figures showing the year of issue; but no such tag shall be furnished for motor cycles. Such tag shall at all times be conspicuously displayed on the front of such motor vehicle, in addition to its regular number plates. Application for registration under the provisions of this section shall be verified by the oath of the applicant and shall be made upon blanks furnished by the secretary. The application shall, in addition to such other particulars as may be required by said secretary, contain a statement of the name, place of residence and address, together with a brief description of the motor vehicle, which shall include the maker's number and the registration number which has been assigned to it in the state of the owner's residence. The secretary, upon granting the application, shall register in a book or open suitable index cards to be kept for that purpose, the motor vehicle described in the application and thereupon shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration, which shall contain such facts and which shall be in such form as the secretary may determine. Every registration under the provisions of this section shall expire with each calendar year.

Sec. 76. The secretary shall publish or cause to be published in pamphlet form each calendar month, a list of all certificates of registration issued during the previous month, together with the registration numbers assigned and, if motor vehicles, any other information he deems to be of public interest. He

shall furnish such lists, free of charge, to such public officials of the state as make written application therefor; and to all other persons applying, at a price per copy calculated by him to approximately cover the cost of publication. He shall also publish an abstract of statutes pertaining to motor vehicles and the law of the road and rules and regulations made by the commission pertaining to the administration of its duties and the duties of the secretary under this act, together with such other information as he deems helpful to public safety and the better regulation of traffic.

Sec. 77. Whenever the owner has once registered a motor vehicle, under the provisions of this act, the secretary shall, at the request of such owner, allow him to keep and use the same number plates for the entire calendar year for which the plates were issued, provided he complies with the other provisions of the motor vehicle law. The secretary shall reserve until December first of each year the same registration number for the succeeding year for persons having registration numbers two to three thousand for pleasure vehicles, and numbers one to five hundred for commercial vehicles. If such person shall, previous to the first day of December of the current year, pay for the registration of his vehicle for the succeeding year and otherwise comply with the provisions of the motor vehicle law.

Sec. 78. The inspectors of the commission, when in uniform, and all police officers in uniform may at all times, with or without process, stop any motor vehicle to examine identification numbers and marks thereon, raising the hood or engine cover if necessary to accomplish this purpose, and may demand and inspect the driver's license, registration certificate and permits. Whenever a motor vehicle is being operated by a person not having upon his person or in such vehicle the registration certificate covering such vehicle, or if it is operated by a person other than the person in whose name it is registered, and such operator is unable to present evidence of his authority to operate such motor vehicle, such inspector or police officer, or any sheriff or his deputy, may impound such vehicle and hold it until the same is claimed and taken by the registered owner thereof, who shall be forthwith notified of the impounding. Said officers if wearing a badge may also at all times, with or without process, and with or without uniform, enter public garages, parking places and buildings where motor vehicles are stored or kept for the purpose of examining identification numbers and marks thereon and may also examine any vehicle standing in any public way or place.

Any such officer may in like manner and under like circumstances examine any vehicle to ascertain whether its equipment complies with the require-

NORWAY

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Winslow and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Winslow of Auburn were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Curtis.

Walter Young of Portland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Young. Arthur Barlett has returned home from St. Barnabas Hospital, Portland, where he has been since receiving an injury in an auto accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Parker of Haverhill, Mass., were recent guests in town.

Mrs. Maude A. Bolster and Mrs. Irene Farrington were in Union last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowe, Jr., of Saco are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowe.

Miss Marjorie Barker of Lawrence, Mass., is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hayes of Emmett, Idaho, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Andrews and son of Augusta and Mrs. C. S. Hayes of Oxford were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Faver and Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Bradbury.

Miss Christine Leavitt of Bradbury, Mass., is the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Leavitt, for the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin York and son recently visited relatives in Canton.

Mrs. Francis Boys of Oxford was in town a few days last week.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Universalist church held an all-day session at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth W. Sampson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian M. Akers were guests of Prof. and Mrs. G. A. Yeaton in Augusta a few days last week.

Mrs. Lester McAllister has been a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. A. F. Moody, at East Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eaton and son of Lynn, Mass., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Sargent.

Miss Florence Seathorne of Douglass, Arizona, has been a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Carroll.

Chautauque opened Friday night with the largest first night in the history of the Chautauque.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Melvin are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a boy, born Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Paragard, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Ridlon the past week, returned to their home in Lynn, Mass., Sunday.

Joseph Therrian has been spending the past week at his home in Kennebunk.

Miss Charlotte Lovejoy was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Porter at Rumford.

Winfield Kimball of New Bedford, Mass., is a guest of his father, Frank Kimball.

Mrs. Gabriella Elliott of Rumford is a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Cummings.

Miss Mildred Curtis is visiting relatives and friends in Newton, Cambridge and Ithaca, Mass.

Prof. and Mrs. V. M. Whitman of Laconia, N. H., have arrived in town and are at their cottage at the lake for the summer vacation.

Lee H. Morrill of the United Shoe Machinery Corporation of New York City, was the week end guest of his father, Joseph Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Spear and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler of Berlin, N. H., were in Norway, recently.

Mrs. Fay Blake was a recent visitor in Stark, N. H.

Miss Jessie Holden of South Harrison was in town a few days last week.

Mrs. Herbert Rich of North Waterford was in town a few days last week.

Archie Denton of Berlin, N. H., was in town last week.

Herman Mason of Bethel was in town last week.

Samuel Stowell of Norwalk, Ohio, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. M. Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews of Malden, Mass., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Smith.

Mrs. Fanti Brown has gone to Waterville to spend the summer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews and daughter have gone to Old Orchard where they will spend several weeks.

A reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lebrooke at the Methodist church last Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Donald S. Bartlett and little daughter of Boston, Mass., are guests of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Bartlett.

Miss Agnes J. Bral has gone to Hantsley Lakes, where she will spend

months of this year.

Sec. 79. Whenever the secretary shall receive report of the theft of a motor vehicle, whether the same be registered or not, and whether owned in this or any other state, together with a description of the same, he shall make a distinctive record thereof and cause the same to be properly filed, and shall promptly report by mail or otherwise the theft of said vehicle to the motor vehicle commissioner or departments of such states of the United States and provinces of the Dominion of Canada as he deems needful, giving a complete description of the vehicle, including the name and post office address of the person reporting the theft.

Concluded next week

a few weeks at Frye camp.

Mrs. George Dunham of Bristol, N. H., is spending several weeks at Harry Luek's.

Mrs. Alice Marston is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Norman MacKinnon, at Topsham.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox were in Lewiston one day last week.

E. G. Allen of Keene, N. H., was in town a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dow were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Spear in Oxford last week.

CANTON

In the early hours of Friday morning burglars entered the men's furnishing store of Stanwood Bicknell and the drug store of James A. Reynolds, breaking in by forcing the windows. It is not known the amount taken from either store.

In Mr. Bicknell's store covers to some boxes were taken off and burned matches were found all over the store. Among the articles stolen at the drug store were two cases of nice fountain pens, razors, etc. The car house was also broken into.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. H. Ridlon and son, Oliver, of Mattapan, Mass., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Oliver.

Irene Witham of Mechanic Falls is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Phoebe L. Sampson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilson York and two children, Guy York and Miss Rosalie Hinds are spending a week at the cottage of G. L. Wadlin by the lake.

Ralph Fauncey has gone to Berlin, N. H.

At the meeting of Whitney Lodge, F. & A. M., Thursday evening, the third degree was conferred on two candidates. Ice cream and fancy crackers were served at the close. Several visitors were present.

Mrs. Ethel West of Lewiston is spending a week or two with her mother, Mrs. Florence Fletcher.

The marriage of Colby Walker of

Canton and Miss Marguerite O'Connor of North Berwick took place Wednesday evening. Mr. Walker is bookkeeper for the L. W. Smith Co. and the bride is a school teacher, having taught at Sanford the past year. The happy couple have commenced housekeeping in one of the rents of Mrs. Helen Mitchell on Lake street.

Mr. Arthur L. Tirrell is confined to his bed by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Russell of Peru are visiting at the home of his grandfather, A. F. Russell, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lavorgna of Fitzdale, N. H., have been guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marco Lavorgna.

Miss Alice Chamberlin has gone to Hallowell's camps, Rangeley, where she will be employed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Westgate of Sisseton, Mass., are visiting friends in their former home in Canton.

Mrs. A. H. Adams attended a meeting of the Happy Thought Club which met with Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Paine of Dixfield last week. The next annual meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Adams next January.

Miss Thelma Bicknell was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Ansel S. Ellis, and family of Dixfield.

A dance was held at Canton Point, Tuesday evening.

Edmund B. Hutchins of Stoughton, Mass., passed away July 2. He was born in Canton about 69 years ago, the son of Cyrus Hutchins and Abigail Stowell Hutchins. He married Miss Cora Hutchins of Peru, who survives, together with four children, Mrs. Lola Swift, an art teacher of White Plains, N. Y.; Arthur, who resides in Woodbridge, Calif.; Alta, head nurse in a private hospital in Massachusetts; and Major Charles Manley Hutchins, who served overseas in the late World War, and lives in Stoughton, also by ten grandchildren, two brothers, Fred Hutchins of Woodbridge, Calif., and Prof. Charles C. Hutchins of Bowdoin College, and one sister, Mrs. Carroll L. Hutchinson of Canton. The early life

and part of the married life of Mr. Hutchins was spent in Canton. He moved from here to Brockton, where he was employed in a piano factory and later purchased a dairy farm in Stoughton, which he has successfully carried on.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip McCoy of Manchester, N. H., have been guests of her aunt, Mrs. Alden E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Walker and four children and Fernley Bubier and Kenneth Bubier attended the Bubier reunion at Auburn last week.

Miss Mabel Barker has been visiting in Dixfield.

The Universalist Circle will hold a picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Thursday of this week.

The Soundnofoedem Club met Friday with Mrs. Lyman Ellis.

Richard Trask of Wilton has been a guest at the home of Maurice Hussey. Arthur Packard and family of Rumford have been guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bale of Medford, Mass., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hayden and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Adams. Mrs. Hayden returned home with them and will visit in Weymouth and Quincy, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Hayden and son, Thomas, have been guests of relatives at the Point. Mr. Hayden has gone to Oswego, N. Y., to attend summer school, while his family will remain here for a time.

NEWRY

Mrs. Ada Grover of Norway was in town last Sunday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wight were in town last Sunday.

Miss Edna Bond of New York has been visiting her brother, W. H. Bond. She returned last Friday night.

The rain of last Sunday made people glad as the crops were badly in need of it.

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The
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CHAPTER I.—Graham Norcross, railroad manager, and his secretary, Jimmie Doda, are marooned at Sand Creek siding with a young lady, Sheila Macrae, and her small cousin, Unseen, they witness a peculiar train holdup, in which a special car is carried off.

CHAPTER II.—Norcross recognizes the car stolen as John Chadwick's, financial magnate, whom he was to meet at Port City. He and Doda rescue Chadwick. The latter offers Norcross the management of the Pioneer Short Line, which is in the hands of eastern speculators headed by Breckenridge Danton, president of the line. Norcross, learning that Sheila Macrae is stopping at Port City, accepts.

CHAPTER III.—Doda overhears conversation between Rufus Hatch and Gustave Henckel, Port City financiers, in which they admit complicity in Chadwick kidnapping, their object being to keep Chadwick from attending a meeting of directors to reorganize the Pioneer Short Line, which would jeopardize their interests.

CHAPTER IV.—To curb the monopoly controlled by Hatch and Henckel, the Red Tower corporation, Norcross forms the Citizens Storage and Warehouse company. He begins to manifest a deep interest in Sheila Macrae. Doda learns that Sheila is married, but living apart from her husband. Norcross does not know this.

CHAPTER V.—Hatch, aware that Doda has knowledge of his and Henckel's participation in the Chadwick kidnapping, offers him inducements to leave Norcross. Doda refuses. Leaving the office, he is knocked senseless. Recovering consciousness, he learns that Norcross has disappeared and is believed to have resigned and gone east.

CHAPTER VI.—Doda connects Norcross' disappearance with machinations of Hatch and Henckel, and on recovering strength sets out to solve the mystery.

CHAPTER VII.—With Korgan, the road's master mechanic, Doda gets a line on Norcross' disappearance. They follow a clue given them through a missing locomotive.

CHAPTER VIII.—The rescue party finds and releases Norcross from captivity to which he had been lured. Norcross resumes control of the Pioneer Short Line, refusing to give place to man whom Danton has sent to take charge.

"Fixed this new young man up, right away, for a 'special' of some sort, and the proof that I was right came one afternoon when Ripley dropped in and fell into a chair to fan himself with his straw hat like a man who had just put down a load that he had been carrying about a mile and a half farther than he had bargained to.

"Thank the Lord, the last of those injunction suits is off the docket," he said, drawing a long breath and waging his neat little head at the boss. "I'll say one thing for the Hatch people, Norcross; they're stubborn fighters."

"We'll beat 'em," predicted the boss. "They've got to let go. How about our C. S. & W. friends? Are they still game?"

"Fine!" asserted the lawyer. "The stock is over-subscribed everywhere, now, and C. S. & W. is a going concern. The building boom is on. I venture to say there are over two thousand mechanics at work at the different centers, rushing up the buildings for the new plants, at this moment. You ought to have a monument, Norcross. It's the most original scheme for breaking a monopoly that was ever devised."

The boss was looking out of the window sort of absently, chewing on his cigar, which had gone out.

"Ripley, I wonder what you'd say if I should tell you that the idea is not mine?" he said, after a little pause.

"Not yours?"

"No; it, or at least the germ of it, was given to me by a woman; a woman who knows no more about business details than you do about driving white elephants."

"I'd like to be made acquainted with the lady," said Ripley, with a tired, little smile. "Such gems are too valuable to be wasted on mere lumber yards and fruit packeries and grain elevators and the like."

"You'll meet her some day," laughed the boss, with a sort of happy lift in his voice that fairly made me sick—knowing what I did, and knowing that he didn't know it. Then he switched the subject abruptly: "About the other matter, Ripley: I know you've been pretty busy, but you've had Tarbell nearly a week. What have you found out?"

Ripley briefed the general situation as it stood on the night of the engine theft in a few terse sentences. Aside from the fight on Red Tower consolidated, the new railroad policies were threatening to upset all the time-honored political traditions of the machine-governed state. An election was approaching, and the railroad vote and influence must be whipped into line. As the grafters viewed it, the threatened revolution was a one-man government, and if that man could be removed the danger would vanish.

The execution details had been turned over to Clannahan, the political boss of Port City.

The plot itself was simple. At a certain hour, of a given night, an

anonymous letter was to be sent to Mr. Norcross, telling him that a gang of noted train robbers was stealing an engine from the Port City yard for the purpose of running down the line and wrecking the Fast Mail, which often carried a billion express-car. If the boss should fall for it—as he did, when the time came—and go in person to stop the raid, he was to be overpowered and spirited away, a forged letter purporting to be a notice of his resignation was to be left for Mr. Van Brit, and a fake telegram, making the same announcement, was to be sent to President Danton in New York. Nothing was left indefinite but the choosing of the night.

"I suppose Hatch was to give the word," said the boss, who had been listening soberly while the lawyer talked.

"That is the inference. Hatch probably gave the word after his talk with you, but the time was made even more propitious by the arrival of the two telegrams; the one from Mr. Chadwick, and the one from Mr. Danton, both of which they doubtless intercepted by means of the tapped wires."

Mr. Norcross looked up quickly. "Ripley, did Danton know what was going to be done to me?"

"Oh, I think not. It wasn't at all necessary that he should be taken in on it. He has been opposing your policies all along, and had just sent you a pretty savage call-down. He didn't want you in the first place, and he has been anxious to get rid of you ever since. The plotters knew very well what he would do if he should get a wire which purported to be your resignation. He would appoint another man, quick, and all they would have to do would be to make sure that you were well off stage, and would stay off until the other man could take hold."

"It worked out like a charm," admitted the boss, with a wry smile. "I haven't been talking much about the details, partly because I wanted to find out if this young fellow, Tarbell, was as good as the major's recommendation of him, and partly because I'm honestly ashamed, Ripley. Any man of my age and experience, who would swallow bait, hook, and line as I did that night deserves to get all that is coming to him."

"You can tell me now, can't you?" queried the attorney.

"Oh, yes; you have it all—or practically all. I fell for the anonymous letter about the Mail hold-up, and while I don't 'rattle' very easily, ordinarily, that was one time when I lost my head, just for the moment. The obvious thing to do—if any attention whatever was to be paid to the anonymous warning—was to telephone the police and the round-house. I did neither because I thought it might be too slow."

"So you made a straight shoot for the scene of action?"

"I did; down the back streets and across the lower end of the plaza. As it appeared—or rather as it was made to appear—I was barely in time. There were men at the engine, and when I sprinted across the yard they were ready to move it out to the main line. I yelled at them and ran in. Three of them tackled me the moment I came within reach. I got one of the three on the point of the jaw, and they had to leave him behind; but there were enough more of them. Before I fairly realized what was happening, they had me trussed up like a Christmas tur-



"They Had Me Trussed Up Like a Christmas Turkey."

key, and loaded into the cab of the engine. From that on, it was all plain sailing."

"Then they took you to the old lumber camp?"

"As fast as the engine could be made to turn her wheels. Arroyo has no night operator, and when we sneaked through the Santa yard and past the station, the operator there was asleep. I saw him, with his head in the crook of his arm, at the telegraph table in the bay window as we passed."

"We ran out to the Timber Mountain 'Y,' and from that on up the old saw-mill line. The rail connections were all in place, and I knew from this that preparations had been made beforehand. They wouldn't tell me anything except that I was to be locked up for a few days."

"You knew what that meant?"

"Perfectly. My drop-out would be made to look as if I had jumped the job, and Danton would appoint a new man. After that, I could come back, if I wanted to. Whatever I might do or try to do would cut no figure, and

no explanation I could make would be believed. I had most obligingly dug my own official grave, and there could be no resurrection."

"What then?" pressed Ripley, keenly interested, as anybody could see. "When they took the clothes-line from my arms there was another scrap. It didn't do any good. They got the door shut on me and got it locked. After that, for four solid days, Ripley, I was made to realize how little it takes to hold a man. I had my pocket-knife, but I couldn't whittle my way out. The floor punch-ions were spiked down, and I couldn't dig out. They had taken all my matches, and I couldn't burn the place. I tried the stick-rubbing, and all those things you read about; they're fakes; I couldn't get even the smell of smoke."

"The chimney?"

"There wasn't any. They had heated the place, when it was a commissary, with a stove, and the pipe hole through the ceiling had a piece of sheet iron nailed over it. And I couldn't get to the roof at all. They had me."

Ripley nodded and said, snappy-like: "Well, we've got them now—any time you give the word. Tarbell has a pinch on one of the Clannahan men and he will turn state's evidence. We can railroad every one of those fellows who carried you off."

"And the men higher up?" queried the boss.

"No, not yet."

"Then we'll drop it right where it is. I don't want the hired tools; no one of them, unless you can get the devil that crippled Jimmie Doda, here."

They went on, talking about my turn-up. Listening in, I learned for the first time just how it had been done. Tarbell, through his hold upon the wretched Clannahan striker, had got the details at second-hand. A lead had been taken from a power wire at the corner of the street and hooked over the outer door-knob. And inside I had been given a sheet of copper to stand on for a good "ground," the copper itself being wired to a water pipe running up through the hall. Tarbell had afterward proved up on all this, it seemed finding the insulated wire and the copper sheet with its connections hidden in a small rubbish closet under the hall stairs, just where a fellow in a hurry might chuck them.

"Tarbell is a striking success," Mr. Norcross put in, along at the end of things. "We'll keep him on with us, Ripley."

Past this there was a little more talk about the C. S. & W. deal, and about what the Hatch crowd would be likely to try next; and when it was finished, and Ripley was reaching for his hat, the boss said: "There is no change in the orders; we've got 'em going now, and we'll keep 'em going. Drive it, Ripley; drive it for every ounce there is in you. Never mind the election talk or the stock quotations. This railroad is going to be honest, if it never earns another net dollar. We'll win."

"It's beginning to look a little that way, now," the lawyer admitted, with his hand on the door knob. "Just the same, Norcross, there is safety in numbers, and our numbers are precisely one; one man"—holding up a single finger. "As before, the pyramid is standing on its head—and you are the head. For God's sake, be careful!"

It was late in the afternoon when Ripley made his visit, and pretty soon after he went away the boss and I closed up our end of the shop and left May pecking away at his typewriter on a lot of routine stuff. I don't know what made me do it, but as I was passing Fred's desk on the way out, stringing along behind the boss, I stopped and jerked open one of the drawers. I knew beforehand what was in the drawer, and pointed to it—a new .38 automatic. Fred nodded, and I slipped the gun into my left-hand pocket, wondering as I did it, if I could make out to hit the broad side of a barn, shooting with that hand, if I had to.

A half-minute later I had caught up with Mr. Norcross, and together we left the building and went up to the Ballard for dinner.

CHAPTER IX

In the Coal Yard

I knew, just as well as could be—without being able to prove it—that we were shadowed on the trip up from the railroad building to the hotel, and it made me nervous. There could be only one reason now for any such dogging of the boss. The grafters were not trying to find out what he was doing; they didn't need to, because he was advertising his doings—or Juneman was—in the newspapers. What they were trying to do was to catch him off his guard and do him up—this time to stay done up.

It was safe to assume that they wouldn't fumble the ball a second time. Mr. Ripley had stood the thing fairly on its feet when he said that our campaign was purely a one-man proposition, so far as it had yet gone. People who had met the boss and had done business with him liked him; but the old-time prejudice against the railroad was so wide-spread and so bitter that it couldn't be overcome all at once. Juneman, our publicity man, was doing his best, but as yet we had no party following in the state at large which would stand by us and see that we got things done.

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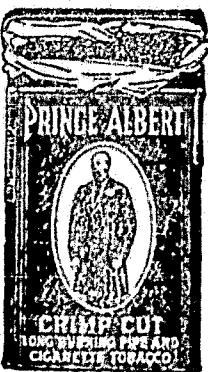
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HANOVER DEFERRED

Robert Glover and family from New Hampshire were calling on friends the first of the week.

Newell Godwin is making extensive repairs on his buildings.

M. A. Holt has charge of the State visited him last week.

road this year in town. Mrs. Lewis Andrews and two children of South Paris recently visited at the home of L. A. Roberts.

Quite a number from this place went to Dixfield the Fourth.

Two of A. T. Powers' grandchildren M. A. Holt has charge of the State visited him last week.

The Sunflower Farm House was opened to the public July 5th.

Miss B. M. Russell has gone to Prout's Neck for the months of July, August and a part of September.

Rob Hilton has moved into M. A. Holt's rent and he is working on the State road in Bethel.



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of their tire equipments by multiplying tires by five to each motor vehicle. This takes in the "spare." Those who buy "more tires" are not apt to have very much sympathy with the "poor, suffering rubber industry." The indications are that the rubber industry has not always "suffered," even though the largest consumers of rubber of the United States now claim that they are up against conditions that threaten them, as well as the rubber planters, to a dismal future. Sympathy wanes by reason of the fact that the rubber planters live in faraway countries, including Java, Mexico, Central and South America. When the prices of rubber at one time speeded up to 75 cents a pound the production of rubber began to boom. In 1911, 75,000 tons of rubber was produced. In 1920 this figure had jumped to 400,000 tons, and until recently this production was no more than that required by the world's demands. When the war was at its height rubber producers had an idea that they were going to put pneumatic tires under the whole of creation, and the producers ran a world race with Cuban sugar planters. But in both cases the results have been disastrous, as every family can at least afford sugar, and nearly every automobile owned can keep a "spare" tire.

TAXES WILL NOT BE REDUCED

A leading writer summarizes the disappointment that is bound to reach the country regarding the extent of tax reductions, in a personal manner, by saying that "President Harding, down in his heart, realizes that the country is in for a season of partial disappointment over the impossibility of the realization of the full measure of hope entertained for an immediate sweeping reduction in taxation." The article goes on to say that the President is not downhearted, since "he believes that the country will be reasonable, after the first pang of disappointment, and will look the situation and the facts in the face."

There are the best reasons the world has ever known why taxes should be sky-high. Millions of people cannot desert their industrial occupations and go gunning for one another, and expect to evade paying the piper for his strident tune. The American spirit demanded that the United States should go to the limit with the war, and now the country has no real warrant for feeling resentful when called upon to meet the obligations that that war brought. The budget system is one of the devices that is intended to help bring about economy, and it will doubtless bear results, but it will not affect any reduction in war debts. There must be paid over a long series of years. And while they are being paid, and as the country is constantly moving on to a more expensive basis, the conditions do not promise a reduction in the bills of the tax office.

SKILLINGTON

The Mothers' Club held a special meeting with their president to postpone the picnic and also to attend to other business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Killings, Mrs. Bangs, Mrs. Killings' sister, and Mr. and Mrs. William Foley motored to Old Orchard Beach, Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Powers and Rex Robinson of Portland, also Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kimball of Portland were Sunday visitors in town.

Mrs. Elias Robinson has gone to Portland for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willey and Mr. and Mrs. Will Young and baby Harold went to Locke's Mills on a camping trip over the week end.

RICHARDSON HOLLOW

Fred Hubert, who works for R. B. Chapman, spent a few days in Lewiston, recently.

Peter Kuvaja was a business visitor in Bethel, Friday.

Truman Emery of West Paris is working for O. W. Richardson.

Arthur A. Noyes lost one of his work horses in the electrical storm, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Littlehale of Woodstock called on his sister, Mrs. H. M. Chapman, one day last week.

Tom Kalkkila and Peter Kuvaja have lost a number of chickens by sharks.

Frances Grant of Yarmouth is visiting at O. W. Richardson's.

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ANDOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Abbott have returned from Lewiston, where he has been for medical treatment.

Mrs. Minnie Akers of Portsmouth, N. H., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edward Pratt.

Mrs. David Sturges and little son of Gorham, Me., are visiting in the home of John French.

Edward Stuart, who has been working in Lewiston, is at his home on church street.

Y. A. Thurston was in New York and Boston several days last week.

Frederick Pullman and wife from Rumford were in town, Sunday.

Edward Hodson is building camps on the company's land at C Pond.

Mrs. Davis Rand has returned from a several weeks' visit with friends in Philadelphia and Boston.

Marjorie and Louise Akers are visiting friends in Rumford before going to their home in Portland.

Mrs. Mary Frost is visiting Mrs. George Allen at Middle Dam.

Robert Boyd is working in Rumford.

L. E. Mills has gone to Portland to meet his mother, Mrs. Dora Mills, who will spend the summer in Andover.

Mrs. Mills, who was struck by an automobile several weeks ago and very severely injured, is recovering rapidly.

Mr. Shilow Rawson and Mr. Morgan, the new superintendent of schools, were in town Friday.

Mrs. Frank DeLain is quite ill.

Athalie Swent is waitress at the Homestead.

Mr. Bennett from Upton, Ivan Campbell and Harry Gibbs are laying for Y. A. Thurston.

George Dunn and wife from Norway visited Bert Dunn and family Thursday of last week.

Mr. John Brown and family, who have been visiting her people, Wm. Learned and wife, returned to their home in Rumford, Tuesday.

Rev. Charles Paul and bride, who spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, have returned to Mechanic Falls, where they will make their home.

Dr. Henry Howard and bride from Portland have been visiting his parents, Marshall Howard and wife.

A heavy rainfall accompanied by intense electrical disturbances fell over Andover, Friday evening. A cow belonging to Frank Porter was struck by lightning and killed in a pasture near his home, also three pine trees and a fence post were struck at the same time. The storm followed two days of extreme heat.

Arthur Bedoll suffered a slight shock Saturday.

Hazel and Roger Mills are taking music lessons at Rumford.

With the rain of Friday night, Saturday and Sunday the drought of weeks seems to have broken. Pastures and gardens are showing the effects of it.

Fred Richards of Auburn spent a day with his parents, Wallace Richards and wife.

The many friends of Mrs. Julia Abbott are sorry to hear of her illness at West Paris.

John Warren had a narrow escape recently when the Hudson touring car that he was driving went over the embankment near Mrs. Thompson's home at Rumford Center. Mr. Warren was uninjured but his car was completely wrecked.

Fred Hutchins, who works at Middle Dam, was at home Monday, July 5.

Fred Bartlett has been ill the past week.

BRYANT'S POND

A delegation of Orangemen from Berlin, Rumford and other points held their annual field day sports here Tuesday.

In the evening there was a ball in the Opera House conducted by them.

Harold Keene, who has been running a public car here a part of the season, has returned to his home in Backsfield.

The semi-annual meeting of the C. I. S. will be held this week for the election of officers.

The officers of the several telephone companies have decided to change the location of the central office to rooms in the house occupied by Arthur Blavens.

The basement of the B. B. Crockett residence has been enlarged and a cement floor laid. A new bulkhead has also been put in.

Mrs. Lillian M. Swift, administratrix of the estate of the late Clarence L. Heath, has recently had an appraisal of the property made. The appraisers were Axel Dudley, Benjamin Billings and Carl C. Dudley.

MARSHALL DISTRICT

Mr. Scribner of Otisfield was a business caller at O. W. Briggs', Monday.

Geo. Briggs took his brother, Henry Briggs, to New Gloucester, recently.

Mrs. Leon Fielders and Miss Irene Briggs motored to Bethel one day last week.

Geo. Briggs and family, also Henry Briggs went to Bridgton, recently, to see Miss Nina Briggs, who has employment at A. R. Flint's for the summer. They had a very fine time, thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian McAllister and daughter, Lena, were callers at O. W. Briggs', recently.

WEST PARIS

An interesting event occurred in West Paris, July 6 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brock, when at high noon their youngest daughter, Grace Mary, was united in marriage to Clarence Elmon Whitney, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe G. Whitney of Farmington. The ceremony was performed beneath an arch of evergreen. The bride wore a traveling suit of silver tone brown and carried bridal roses. The bridegroom was also dressed in brown. Ethel Brock, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Everett Whitney, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Those present at the ceremony were the parents of the contracting parties, also the wife of the best man. The double ring service was used. Rev. H. F. Aldrich, pastor of the Federated church at West Paris, was the officiating clergyman. After lunch the bridal couple left for a short wedding trip. They will be at home after August 1st at 165, Madison Avenue, Skowhegan, Maine.

Thursday evening, June 30th, about seventy-five of the friends of Grace Brock gave her a shower at her home in West Paris. The gifts consisted of many beautiful pieces of silver, china, etc., which were greatly appreciated by the bride-to-be and which will always be a pleasant reminder of her many friends in West Paris. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, doughnuts and crackers were served.

Mrs. Mary Stevens was severely injured Thursday evening when crossing the road from her home to Oscar Peabody's. An auto came along and the driver at first thought she was going to wait until he passed, but after some hesitation on the part of both she stepped in front of the car and was knocked down, the car passing over her between the wheels. Her shoulder and side were badly injured, besides other cuts and bruises. She expected to go to the hospital Friday but was unable to do so. Her grandson, Dr. B. N. Hatt of Boston was notified and arrived Saturday. No blame is attached to the driver of the auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Widder and son, Paul, of Boston are guests at Quincy Day's.

Mrs. W. W. Dunham entertained a party of friends on Fourth of July afternoon, and a very pleasant time was enjoyed. Among those present were Mrs. Esther Tuell, Mrs. Sarah Devine, Mrs. J. B. Tucker, Miss Ruth Tucker, Mrs. Elvina Dennen, Mrs. Martha Dunham, Mrs. Josephine Bates, Mrs. Martha Hill, Mrs. Emma Berry, Mrs. Charles Dunham, Miss Cora E. Young of Boston and Mrs. Wedgewood of Lewiston.

Paul Whitten of Boston has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whitten.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patch and daughter, Mary, spent the Fourth of July at Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Penley and son,

Chartar No. 7613
Reserve District No. 1
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
BETHEL NATIONAL BANK,
At Bethel in the State of Maine, at
the close of business on June 30, 1921.

RESOURCES

1 a Loans and discounts, including redemptions, (except those shown in b and c), \$94,537.44

2 Overdrafts, unsecured, 85.14

3 a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value), \$10,000.00

b All other United States Government Securities, \$4,086.00

4 Total, 34,086.00

5 Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., 64,382.00

6 Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank, 10,132.63

7 Cash in vault and amount due from national banks, 26,556.03

8 Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, \$55,956.03

9 Checks and drafts located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items, 4,148.34

10 Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 500.00

11 Total, \$270,819.65

LIABILITIES

12 Capital stock paid in, \$25,000.00

13 Surplus fund, 10,000.00

14 Undivided profits, \$15,000.00

c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, 15,000.00

15 Circulating notes outstanding, 9,400.00

16 Certified checks outstanding, 29.51

17 Totals of items 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, 59,529.51

18 Individual deposits subject to check, \$10,452.34

19 Dividends unpaid, 937.50

20 Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to check, items 18, 19, 20, and 21, \$11,390.84

Total, \$270,819.65

STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

I, Elery C. Park, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELERY C. PARK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1921.

H. H. HASTING, Notary Public.

Corrected—Attest:

ERNEST M. WALKER, IRA C. JORDAN, CLARENCE K. FOX, Directors

Donald, of Portland spent the week end and Fourth with relatives, and Donald remained for a visit with his grandmother, Mrs. C. A. Bidlon.

Mrs. Edwin J. Mann returned from the Central Maine General Hospital, Saturday, July 2. She was accompanied by her nurse, Miss Margaret Steeves, her husband and Mr. Spiller of Norway, who assisted with his invalid cot. Dr. Webber of Lewiston was in town Tuesday and assisted by Dr. Wheeler performed a second operation upon Mrs. Mann for abscess. She is doing well at this writing.

Dr. Wheeler accompanied Mrs. James Abbott of North Paris to the Central Maine General Hospital, Friday, where an operation was performed.

Mrs. Leonard Cheley was operated upon Wednesday at the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, for gall stones.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whitney of Farmington have been guests during the week at Henry Brock's and H. R. Tuell's.

Walter Bicker of Portland is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bicker.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Emery are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sunday, July 1, weighing 10 pounds, named Muriel Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartson W. Welch are also receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Hartson Washburn, Jr., at Mrs. Abbott's Hospital, Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merrill of Saco are guests of her father, Augustus Bacon, and other relatives.

Mrs. Charles Curtis and son Merton have been visiting relatives at Gorham, N. H.

Beatrice Martin is making a good recovery at the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, from her recent operation.

LOCKE'S MILLS

A very delightful surprise birthday shower was given for Miss Adelaide G. Edwards at Camp Ellery Dell by her young friends of Locke's Mills. Taking advantage of the absence of the Edwards family the girls motored down, taking refreshments, and decorations. The table was decorated in yellow and white. From a beautiful basket containing the gifts, yellow ribbons ran to each place holding keepsakes. Much merriment attended the cutting of the birthday cake, which was made by Grant's and contained the proverbial gifts, ring, humble and coin. Games, music and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour, when reluctant good nights were said.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and children of Berlin, N. H., are visiting his sister,

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Mrs. Ralph King.

Mrs. Tena Woodsum and Mrs. Arthur Stovell were in Mechanic Falls last week.

W. W. Coolidge lost a valuable heifer last week.

The cottages on the shore of the lake are all occupied.

Mrs. Herman Cummings and baby of Albany are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Swan.

Curtis Abbott, who recently underwent an operation, is gaining.

Mrs. Mary Bartlett still remains very ill.

A party of young ladies from Berlin, N. H., are at Kimball's camp.

WANT COLUMN

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents. Each word more than 25: One week, 1 cent and each additional week, 1/2 cent.

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LOST—A female dog answers to the name of Mollie. Finder please notify Herjick's Garage or A. W. Andrews, Paris Hill, Maine, and receive reward. 6-2-11

FOR SALE—One Glenwood Range with hot water coil, for coal or wood. 1 Bangor Range cheap; 1 3 burner oil stove and glass door oven, same as new. 1 toilet chair. Ceylon Rowe, Bethel, Maine. 6-30-21

FOR SALE or will swap—One 20 h.p. Fairbanks engine in good repair. Inquire of Fred R. Littlefield, Albany, Me. Postoffice Address, Bethel, R. F. D. 3. 6-30-21

GRASS FOR SALE—10 acres of standing grass for sale. Susie A. Plaised, Bethel, Maine. 7-7-21-p

LOST—A five dollar bill and a one dollar bill Saturday. Finder return to Citizen office.

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